

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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Four Laning of Gulbarga-Latur Highway
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has started the construction work of four laning of the Gulbarga-Latur and Ratnagiri-Nagpur; highways;
- (b) if so, the name of the cities and towns through which the said highways is likely to pass after conversion;
- (c) the estimated cost to be incurred on it; and
- (d) the time-frame fixed to complete the construction of the highways?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) The Ministry has accorded In-Principle approval for Gulbarga-Latur road as new National Highways. The development the road will be taken up on the basis of outcome of Detailed Project Report (DPR), which is in progress. Ratnagiri-Nagpur section is proposed to be developed to 4 lane standard which is also at DPR stage.

(b) Gulbarga-Latur section is likely to pass through Gulbarga, Aland, Omrega, Ausa & Latur, and Ratnagiri-Nagpur section is likely to pass through Ratnagiri-Kolhapur-Sangli-Miraj-Sangola-Mangalwedha-Solapur-Tuljapur, Ausa, Latur, Nanded, Umarkhed, Mahagaon, Arani, Yavatmal, Wardha, Butibori and Nagpur.

(c) & (d) It is too early to indicate the estimated cost and time frame for completion of the highways.
